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Since our last arriv'd a Mail from Holland.

Moscow, April 30.

The last the great Event of the Marriage of his Imperial Highness, with the Princess of Anhalt Zerbst, is fixed for the 10th of June. It is hoped that, upon this Marriage, the Prince and Princess of Brunswick, and the Duke of Courland, will be set at Liberty; the rather, because her Imperial Highness is determined, that the ancient Law of the Empire shall have its Course, and that nothing shall be done to the Prejudice of the young Emperor John, in his Imperial Highness shall have no Issue, which, it is said, has had an extraordinary Effect on the Temper of this Princess of Brunswick, who has declared, that she is ready to submit to the present Government, and acknowledge the Favours done her by Caring. The Danish Minister here having signified, that the King his Master desires to accommodate all Differences between him and the House of Brunswick; that Proposition has been already accepted; so that in all Probability this Affair, which has so much Noise, will at length be compromised. The British Minister, Lord Tyravley, is not expected to return; but, in the mean time, the Marquis de Mordaunt, who extremely well received at Court, can sit his Foot in the Cabinet, or enter into any Negotiation.

Stettin, May 8. Since the Weather is become open, the Season proper for transporting the Russian Army, we hear not one Word of their going away. The French Minister pushes, with the greatest Earnestness, his Negotiation for taking 12,000 Foot, and 8000 Dragoons, into the Service of his Court; and General Dyer is to be called to consider of his Proposition. His Royal Highness said, the other Day, a very odd Thing, when he was told that Professor Celsius of a Cold he got by observing the late Comet. His Highness said he, has refuted his Doctrine; since it has demonstrated, that Comets are fatal to the State. The Emperor the King sent for from Germany, to regulate new Works at the Palace of Carlsburg, for the Residence of the Princess of Prussia, are arrived, and are entirely by his Majesty's Directions, as he has a Plan for rendering that Palace one of the finest in North of Europe.

Vienna, May 6. Four Tartans, laden with Ammunition from Naples for Festara, have brought their Carriages; and their Masters have been extremely well paid for it. If we may believe them, the Kingdom in Italy is disposed to throw off the Spanish Yoke; and only for a proper Opportunity, to act as they see fit. We likewise learn by them, that a Pestilence has broke out in one of the Suburbs of Vienna, which alarms us not a little.

Turin, May 13. The last Letters from Turin, dated the 10th, inform us, that the King of Sardinia has been, at that time, indisposed, so as not to see even the Ministers. His Majesty having certain Intelligence, that the Enemy cannot subsist in the County of Nice, that they dare not prosecute their Design of marching further, for fear of being absolutely starved, has sent 30 Battalions, that were in the Neighbourhood of Mondovi, to march immediately towards the Frontiers of Dauphiny, to oppose the French Army, under the Command of the Prince of Conti; leaving a small Body to guard the Pass of Tende, in case the French, who are left in the County of Nice, should attempt any Thing on that Side.

Genoa, May 7. Three English Merchantmen, who doubled their Force, and had taken out Letters of Marque here, returned lately with three rich French Prizes; Two from Smyrna, and the Third from Constantinople. The French Consul however has reclaimed them, on Pretence of this being incompatible with the Neutrality of our Port; which must be decided by the Republic of Florence.

Hamburg, May 11. Capt. Middleton, Count Lowen-Recurving Officer, after having sold, or given up his Commission, the 20 or 30 Men he had raised here, which he knew not how to convey safely to France, sent himself for Holland, and thus has ended the recruiting at Hamburg.

From the Camp at Asche, May 19.

Upon Advice that the French had sent a considerable detachment, and taken Possession of Courtray, advanced their Hussars as far as Pottengen, near Deinse,

and were marching in two Bodies between the Lys and the Schelde. Lieutenant-General Sir James Campbell was ordered away immediately with 12 Squadrons of Dragoons, six Companies of Grenadiers, and a Train of Field Pieces, to march all Night, in order to secure Ghent, which he performed with the greatest Diligence. The whole Body of English and Hanoverians is now in this Camp; and the Austrian and Dutch Troops are hourly expected. We hear that there are near 40,000 French encamped near Harlebeck, and that another Body of near 10,000 have passed the Schelde, near Pont de Pierre, both under the Command of Count Saxe. That a great Number of Pioneers are working on the Roads there, as well as towards Oudenarde, for passing their Artillery. That there is a Garrison in Oudenarde of six Battalions of Austrian Foot, with 22 Pieces of Cannon mounted on the Ramparts: The Place is commanded by the Prince de Chimai.

Extract of a Letter from Lille, May 18.

About Five o'Clock in the Evening, of the 18th Instant, the King arrived here, under a Discharge of all the Artillery from our Ramparts. It is reported, that he intends to attack Menin, Ypres, and Tournay, at once; and indeed, by the Preparations that are making here, one would think he meant to attack the Devil; for he has a double Train of Battering Cannon, and 12,000 Peasants have Orders to march to work in the Trenches. On the 14th the King went to Doway, on the 15th he reviewed the Army; which, on the Muster-Roll, was 130,000 strong; in the Field 121,000 effective Men. On the 17th, the Marshal Count de Saxe advanced to Warneton, and had the Keys of Courtray delivered to him. This Morning Menin was invested; and To-morrow Night the Trenches will be open before it. Marshall Noailles is to command the Siege, and M. le Count de Saxe is to cover it.

The following is an exact Copy of a Letter from the King to the Dauphin.

I commend the warm Desire you have shewn of following me to the Army; but your Person is too dear to the State, for me to dare to expose it, till the Succession to the Crown is assured by your Marriage. When you have Children, I promise you I will never take the Field without taking you with me; but I wish, and hope, that I shall never be able to keep my Word. As I make War with no other View but to procure a good and solid Peace, so, if God shall for once bless my good Intentions, I will sacrifice all Things to preserve it during the rest of my Reign. It is but just you enter early into these Sentiments, and that you accustom yourself to believe, that you are rather the Father, than the Master of those who are, one Day, to become your Subjects.

Brussels, May 24. Yesterday his Britannick Majesty's Army, consisting of the English and Hanoverian Troops, under the Command of Field-Marshal Wade, were joined by the Austrian and Dutch Troops, in their Camp between Aelbe and Aloft; and we hear, the combined Army will in a few Days begin the Operations of the Campaign.

Brussels, May 25. It is expected that the Confederate Army will march To-morrow, or next Day, towards Oudenarde. When the French took possession of Warneton, they obliged the Dutch Company, which was in Garrison there, to march to Ypres; but the Prince of Hesse Philippsahl, who commanded in that Place, would not receive them, but ordered their Officer to march back to Warneton; and, at the same time, sent a Trumpet to the Duke d'Antin, to ask what he meant by seizing a Place yielded to the Masters by the Barrier Treaty; but we do not hear what Answer was returned. The French King has been two Days at Maubeuge. The Enemy have possessed Warneton, and continued to fortify themselves at Courtray; but they have hitherto levied no Contributions, and have ordered the Custom-House Officers, at both Places, to continue to do their Duty; having only set their Marks to the Registers of the Collections.

Amsterdam, May 26. The Admiralty here are endeavouring to get the Men of War out to Sea, which are ordered by the States General to the Assistance of his Britannick Majesty, for which purpose they are to be laid on their Sides, and drawn through the miry Passage of the Pampus, by several large-ailed Vessels appointed for that Purpose. As this Experiment is to be tried the next Tide of Ebb, which will be To-morrow, the whole Town is preparing to be present at such an extraordinary Spectacle.

I R E L A N D.

Dublin, May 12. Tuesday last the Right Hon. the Earl of Granard, arrived here from England.

The same Day died, after a long Illness, Mr. Edward Dempsey, an eminent Attorney, and a Man of a fair Character.

This Week died Mrs. King, Wife of Alderman Robert King, a Lady of exceeding good Character.

Tuesday last Mr. ——— Sumford, Jan. of the County of Meath, was married to Mrs. Jane Smith of Dame-Street, an agreeable Lady, with a handsome Fortune.

Yesterday died Michael Fleming, of Stobalmock, in the County of Meath, Esq.

Last Week William Gregory, and John Lamb, Esqs; were admitted and sworn Barristers at Law.

H O M E P O R T S.

Bristol, May 17. Arriv'd the Industry, Clark, from Jamaica; who parted with the Lively Man of War from Jamaica the 10th Inst. in Lat. 50: 19: about 40 Leagues West from Cape Clear.

Portsmouth, May 18. Sailed from Spithead his Majesty's Ship the Squirrel, Capt. Williams, being Convoys to the Pelham, Tomlinson, from Piscataqua, the Black Ace, Beer, from Boston, the Providentia, Monkman, from Montserrat, the Planter, Lowes, from Carolina, the Patuxant, Jolly, from Maryland; the Neptune Prize, and about 50 Sail of Coasters, all for London.

Dial, May 18. Wind S. W. The Benjamin, Way, for East India, with the Outward-bound Ships, remain as per last. Came down the Lally, Townshend, for Oporto. Arriv'd this Morning from the Westward, and sailed for the River, a Bomb, but could not get her Name this Post.

Dial, May 19. Wind S. W. Came down his Majesty's Ship, Chester; the Success, Matthews, for Plymouth; and the Mary, Oger, for Southampton; and remains with the Outward-bound as per last. Arriv'd the Willett, Griffith, the Scroop, Conway, and the Lucy, Fergus, from St. Kitts; and the Swift, Maynard, from Nevis, in five Weeks and four Days Passage. Several large Ships are now in Sight coming in, but can't get their Names this Post.

Arrived
At Dublin, the Mary, Mathewson, and the Neptune, Day, both from Rotterdam.

L O N D O N.

According to private Letters from Stockholm, dated the 14th of May, was observed, with the most general Marks of Joy and Satisfaction, being the Birth-Day of his Royal Swedish Highness, who entered then into the 34th Year of his Age.

We learn from Copenhagen, that they begin to talk there afresh of the Marriage between his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, and the Princess of Denmark; and of the taking a large Body of Danish Troops into the Pay of Great-Britain.

Letters from Hamburg, of the 22d of May, acquaint us, that between the 17th and 21st, the Bankers of that City had received, from Paris, Bills for 1,500,000 Rix-dollars, which is to be employed in Russia and Sweden.

They write from Cleve, that on the 25th Instant, N. S. his Prussian Majesty was expected at Pyrmont, in order to drink the Waters, and reflect, at leisure, on the present Situation of Affairs in Europe.

His Danish Majesty being informed, that several of his Sea Officers intended to serve as Volunteers on board the British Fleet, ordered their Pay to be doubled, from the Day of their Departure.

M. de Maurepas is actually set out for Toulon, in order to give the necessary Orders for equipping a strong Squadron of Men of War, which, in Conjunction with the Spanish Fleet, are to make an attempt upon the Island of Minorca.

His most Christian Majesty has ordered the Marquis de Fenelon to repair to the Hague immediately, with his definitive Resolution, as to the Propositions of Peace that had been made to him.

The French have stopp'd the Post at Lille, so that all the Letters that pass that Way to Holland are missing.

The Army of the Allies are assembling in the Neighbourhood of Ghent, and intend to march immediately to give the Enemy Battle.

Yesterday Morning died, of a Fever, at his Father's House in Grosvenor-Square, the Right Hon. Thomas Coventry, Lord Deerhurst, eldest Son to the Right Hon. the Earl of Coventry, and Member of Parliament for Bidport in Dorsetshire.

Yesterday several Priests and Deacons were ordained at the Chapel Royal at St. James's.

Last Saturday the Lady of — Phipps, Esq. Grandson to the late Dukes of Buckingham, was safely delivered of a Son and Heir, to the great Joy of that Family, at Buckingham-House, St. James's Park.

To-morrow the Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor will hold the Seal at Lincoln's-Inn Hall, before Trinity Term.

This being Effoign Day, before Trinity Term, the several Courts in Westminster-Hall will be opened, by one of the Judges of each respective Court, according to Custom.

High Water this Day	Morning	Evening
at London-Bridge.	05 52	06 14

Bank Stock, 142 1-4th to 1-half. India, 172 1-4th. South Sea, 105 1-4th. Old Annuity, 108 7-8ths to 109. New ditto, 109 5-8ths to 3-4ths. Three per Cent. 93 1-4th. Ditto 1743, 92 3-4ths to 93. Ditto 1744, 91. Seven per Cent. Loan, Nothing done. Five per Cent. ditto, Nothing done. Royal Assurance, 75. London Assurance, 11. India Bonds, 1 l. 8 s. to 6 s. to 7 s. Prem. Bank Circulation, 4 l. 2 s. 6 d. Prem. Salt Tallow, Nothing done. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders, Nothing done. Three per Cent. ditto, Nothing done. Million Bank, 115. Equivalent, 110. Tickets, 10 l. 17 s.

Hawkers and Pedlars Office Holbourn-Court, Gray's Inn, May 21, 1744.

THIS is to give Notice, That Yearly Licences, as usual, will begin to be delivered out on Monday the 18th Day of June next, and daily Attendance is constantly given (Holidays excepted) from Nine in the Morning until Twelve, and from Two in the Afternoon until Five: Therefore all Persons concerned, are desired to apply to the Office above-mentioned for Licences, and not to depend on the uncertain Meeting with the Surveyors in the Country, who have strict Orders given them to apprehend and prosecute with the utmost Rigour all such Hawkiers as they shall at any time of the Year find trading without Licences.

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